

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re application of
Kozo NOGI, et al.

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Appln. No.: 10/798,346

Group Art Unit: 1711

Confirmation No.: 5598

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

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For: SURFACE CROSSLINKING TREATMENT METHOD OF WATER-ABSORBING
RESIN POWDER

SUBMISSION OF DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Submitted herewith please find 1 sheet (Figs. 1-3) of drawings in compliance with
37 C.F.R. § 1.84. The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge receipt of these
drawings.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Mark Boland".

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